

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT

AGENDA DATE: March 28, 2012

TO: Parks and Recreation Commission

FROM: Parks Division, Parks and Recreation Department

SUBJECT: Street Tree Advisory Committee Recommendations

RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission:

A. Approve the following Front Yard Setback Tree removal request.

1. 26 W. Padre St. – Tipuana tipu, Tipu – Anne B. Braddock

The Committee recommends that the Commission approve the removal. The Committee commented that principles of good forest management will best be served by the proposed removal.

- B. Conditionally approve the following Front Yard Setback Tree removal request.
 - 1722 Mountain Ave. Liquidambar styraciflua, American Sweetgum Peter Brewer

The Committee recommends that the Commission approve the removal on the condition the applicant replace with a shade tree that can achieve 30 feet in height. The Committee commented that the character of the immediate neighborhood with respect to forestation will not be materially affected by the proposed removal and that regard for safety of persons or property dictates the removal.

ATTACHMENTS: 1. 26 W. Padre St.

2. 1722 Mountain Ave.

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SUBMITTED BY: Jill E. Zachary, Assistant Parks and Recreation Director

APPROVED BY: Nancy L. Rapp, Parks and Recreation Director

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